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**AMENDMENTS TO THE ABSTRACT**

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## **ABSTRACT**

The present invention provides a process for the production of a food product comprising the steps of (i) contacting a food material with a stabiliser to provide a food intermediate; and (ii) fermenting the food intermediate; wherein the stabiliser comprises a depolymerised pectin and wherein the food material comprises a protein.